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SUBJECT: JAPAN'S TRADE BY AREA AND COMMODITY--NOVEMBER--PROVISIONAL

REF: TOKYO 16292

1. FOLLOWING ARE CUSTOMS DATA ON JAPAN'S TRADE BY AREA AND  
COMMODITY PROMISED IN PARA 4 REFTEL.

2. COLUMN HEADINGS FOR ALL TABLES ARE AS FOLLOWS: (1) NOV  
1974 VALUE IN MIL DOLLARS, (2) JAN-NOV 1974 VALUE IN MIL  
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DOLLARS, (3) JAN-NOV 1973 VALUE IN MIL DOLLARS, (4) PERCENT

INCREASE, JAN-NOV 1974 FROM JAN-NOV 1973. PARENTHESES  
AROUND ITEM INDICATES IT IS INCLUDED IN PRECEDING SUBGROUP.

### 3. TRADE BY AREA: (1) (2) (3) (4)

#### EXPORTS (F.O.B.)

ADVANCED AREA	2,411	23,786	17,031	39.7
(U.S.)	1,186	11,560	8,464	36.6
(W. EUROPE)	793	7,661	5,871	30.5
DEVELOPING AREA	2,264	22,438	14,009	60.2
IMPORTS (C.I.F.)				
ADVANCED AREA	2,096	23,494	17,717	32.6
(U.S.)	1,097	11,498	8,275	38.9
(W. EUROPE)	379	4,814	3,643	32.1
DEVELOPING AREA	2,753	30,304	14,376	110.8

### 4. BY SPECIAL

#### CLASSIFICATION: (1) (2) (3) (4)

#### IMPORTS (C.I.F.)

TOTAL IMPORTS	5,121.1	56,649.9	34,148.5	65.9
AGRICULTURAL GOODS	887.4	8,324.9	6,184.3	34.6
CONSUMER NON-DURABLES	76.3	1,310.3	870.4	50.5
DURABLES	104.3	1,126.2	1,037.0	8.6
INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES	3,685.9	41,667.5	22,945.4	81.6
CAPITAL EQUIPMENT	347.1	3,914.7	2,856.9	37.0
(IRON ORE)	182.5	1,881.0	1,482.1	26.9
(STEEL SCRAP)	52.1?	460.2	364.2	26.4
(SOYBEANS)	76.4	781.9	669.8	16.7
(LUMBER)	216.7	3,479.2	3,059.3	13.7
(COAL)	351.7	2,486.3	1,230.3	102.1
(CRUDE OIL)	1,686.2	17,136.0	5,198.4	229.6
(EXPORTS (F.O.B.))				
TOTAL EXPORTS	5,098.6	49,599.4	32,752.3	51.4
MOTOR VEHICLES	464.0	4,741.0	3,218.7	47.3
(PASSENGER CARS)	295.9	3,198.7	2,359.6	35.6
MOTORCYCLES	126.1	1,267.0	732.0	73.1
IRON AND STEEL	1,173.8	9,310.3	4,609.2	102.0
CHEMICALS	379.4	3,618.0	1,913.1	89.1
SHIPS	554.9	4,982.6	3,459.6	44.0

### 5. CUSTOMS EXPORTS

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#### TO U.S. -

#### SELECTED ITEMS: (1) (2) (3) (4)

TOTAL EXPORTS TO U.S.	1,185.9	11,560.1	8,464.2	36.6
FOODSTUFFS	19.0	228.4	221.1	3.3
(FISH & SHELLFISH)	12.8	177.2	176.1	0.6
COTTON FABRICS	1.7	24.1	26.3	MINUS 8.4
SYNTHETIC TEXTILES	10.0	94.7	92.4	2.5
CLOTHING	11.7	163.2	213.4	MINUS 23.5

CHEMICALS	74.4	518.2	217.1	138.7
IRON & STEEL	285.4	1,742.6	851.5	104.7
METAL PRODUCTS	75.6	733.2	473.0	55.0
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	22.7	242.2	292.7	MINUS 17.3
TV'S	18.5	238.8	252.9	MINUS 5.6
RADIOS	34.2	453.6	538.1	MINUS 15.7
MOTOR VEHICLES	170.5	2,002.7	1,419.1	41.1
MOTORCYCLES	85.1	759.5	427.6	77.6
OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS				
(INCLUDING CAMERAS)	35.3	390.7	301.1	29.8
REPEAT				

ORDERS	23.4	291.2	332.0	MINUS 12.3
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## 6. CUSTOMS IMPORTS

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SELECTED ITEMS: (1) (2) (3) (4)

TOTAL IMPORTS

FROM U.S.	1,096.8	11,507.6	8,274.8	39.1
FOODSTUFFS	228.9	2,399.9	1,756.7	36.6
(BEEF)	3.6	53.3	119.5	MINUS 55.4
(FISH & SHELLFISH)	5.9	48.8	80.3	MINUS 39.2
(WHEAT)	72.2	591.5	399.1	48.2
(FEED CORN)	74.6	669.9	440.7	50.2
(SORGHUM)	21.0	311.3	191.0	63.0
RAW COTTON	10.2	298.3	183.1	62.9
METAL MATERIALS	39.5	439.4	418.4	5.0
SOYBEANS	61.3	699.4	568.5	23.0
LUMBER	78.1	994.5	982.5	1.2
CHEMICALS	76.9	937.3	634.3	47.8
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	25.5	280.4	228.5	22.7
AIRCRAFT	38.2	444.1	219.7	102.1
NON-FERROUS METALS	9.9	200.7	186.4	7.7
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